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## MEET CAPTAIN EDDIE MASLONA WAR HERO AND NEW CANADIAN

To Edward Maslona, Captain of Infantry, First Carpathian Battalion, Polish Army, for gallantry.

The first few words of a citation which accompanied an American Silver Star and written over the signature of Mark W. Clark, General, United States Army. But the citation and the medal are far from telling the whole story, a story which includes a close call with some Russians who wanted some workers to send to Siberia, a flight from home and friends and a long hitch in one of the toughest theatres of the Second World War. The little blue and white striped piece of ribbon that the British handed out doesn't tell how it feels to have a bullet pass through your arm but that and a nasty little scar are what Eddie has to show for another experience, one which he doesn't talk about much at all.

We met Eddie for the first time in the middle of a peach orchard down at Cole's. He was wearing a pair of tan shorts and a big smile. The sun had reduced his skin to almost the same dark color as his shorts and all in all he looked right at home. There had been some talk about the medals that Eddie had won while he was in the army and so we asked to see them first. He promptly produced 11 of them. Besides the American Silver Star he had the Polish Virtuti Militari, the Cross Monti Cassino, the Cross Bravery, and the Medal Arm; he had the British Africa Star, Italy Star, War Medal (39-45), War Star (39-45), the Defense Medal and a Wound Strip. Eddie has only been in Canada since 1948 so in order to get the story quite clear we asked John Yanko to talk to him in his native tongue and to us in English.

Eddie Maslona was born and lived most of his life up until 1939 (Continued on Page 3)

## ORDER OF ST. BASIL FORM CORPORATION

Grimsby, July 30.—The current edition of the Ontario Gazette prints notice that under the Companies Act, letters patent have been issued constituting Methodius Hannas, Serdus Fedyani and Myron Dacik, priests, of the town of Grimsby, and any others who have become subscribers to the memorandum of agreement of the corporation, and persons who thereafter become members thereof, a corporation without share capital under the name of The Order of St. Basil The Great Holding Corporation, to carry on works of any religious, educational, charitable and social welfare nature, and to own, lease or otherwise acquire, keep, maintain, manage, conduct and operate churches and buildings appurtenant thereto or for use in connection therewith, residences, offices, schools, colleges, farms, restaurants, hotels, homes for children and old people and other institutions and refuge for the reception, assistance and maintenance of immigrants and others.

## CONSTABLE TAKES OVER NEW POST

Grimsby, Aug. 2.—Provincial Constable John Richards, stationed at Grimsby for the last few months has resigned from the force to accept an appointment on the Ontario fire marshal's staff, at Toronto. He commenced his new duties today. In joining this department he follows in the footsteps of his father, the late Deputy Fire Marshal Richards.

## BOXING SHOW A BIG SUCCESS FOR THE GRIMSBY JAYCEES

The arena was recently the scene of the first boxing show in over twenty years, as the Grimsby Junior Chamber of Commerce successfully ventured into the world of fistfights, and emerged with very little profit, but large quantities of credit for a fine effort.

It takes experience to "know the angles" and for sure the men of O'Brien had to learn the hard way, but should they endeavour another boxing show, it is likely that more lettuce will stay in Grimsby, and not leave town with the various matchmakers, fighters and numerous "side men" whose split reaches somewhat staggering proportions, despite the fact that the card is strictly amateur.

All in all the card was a good one, and the eight hundred spectators enjoyed some very fine fights, with only a couple of the prelims having very little on the ball, due to the last minute juggling of the ten bout card.

Amos Dorsey of St. Catharines, matchmaker for the evening, did a fine job of lining up some of the better amateur boxers in the area, the main bout and the Staff-Mead effort being perhaps the two best efforts.

Results were as follows:

Exhibition — Hank Robertson, Grimsby, vs. Tommy Little, Grimsby. (Draw).

Frank Popoli, St. Catharines, vs. Dave Turnbull, Hamilton. (Draw).

Preliminaries (3 rounds):

John Kelly, Niagara Falls, decision over Joe Wellman, Niagara Falls.

Bobby Rivers, Niagara Falls, decision over Bucky Buckle, Hamilton.

Bill Richardson, Hamilton, decision over Tiger Neilson, St. Catharines.

Torchy Tortoise, Niagara Falls, decision over Jack Rumsby, Welland.

NOVERLY — Dangerous Don Dixon, Grimsby, winner over Killer Cole, Grimsby. (Foul).

5 Rounds:

Lyle Staff, St. Catharines, winner by technical knockout over Billy Mead, Nova Scotia.

Boots Pruden, St. Catharines, winner over Harvey Sharron, Niagara Falls, T.K.O.

Main Bout—Angilo Rizzo, Niagara Falls. (Continued on Page 3)

## POLICE CALLED ON TO INVESTIGATE ACCIDENTS

Grimsby almost had a quiet weekend. The holiday went well for the local and Provincial Police up until Sunday afternoon then the lid flew. Joseph Inc 35, of R.R. No. 1, Mount Hamilton, was arrested and charged with drunken driving, careless driving and having liquor in a public place by Constable D'Arcy Garrett of the Provincial Police. The arrest was made on Main St. West and accused was lodged in county jail at St. Catharines to await hearing on last Monday morning. That was Sunday afternoon.

On Sunday evening the Provincial Police were called to investigate an accident which occurred on the Queen Elizabeth Highway between Nelles' and Baker's side roads. Mr. Serrie DeFrancisco of Brantford, Ont., was proceeding westward on the Queen Elizabeth Way when he pulled out to pass a car in front. Just at that time a motorcycle in charge of Mirno Panquai, 29, Ennerdale Ave., Toronto, also pulled out but in front of the truck. Mr. DeFrancisco, who claimed he was travelling about 50 m.p.h. applied his brakes causing his wheels to lock and his truck to strike the shoulder of the highway. The truck rolled forward and came to rest upside down facing east. The four passengers in the truck, Mrs. Martha DeFrancisco, Miss Olive DeFrancisco, Ralph and Marie DeFrancisco were shaken up but no one was seriously injured. Estimated damage to the truck was \$400. Constable D'Arcy Garrett of the Grimsby detachment (Continued on Page 3)

## NEW PLANT INSPECTED

Members of the Ayler Town Council and the Elgin-St. Thomas Health Unit were in Grimsby yesterday to inspect the town's modern sewer system and sewage disposal plant. Their visit to Grimsby follows a recommendation of Dr. A. E. Berry, director of sanitary engineering with the Ontario Department of Health.

Stanley Tagarz now sole owner of Peach Dairy Bar has bought out the former partners of Joseph Sztoe. Mr. Sztoe has returned to Waterford and a business there.

Since its re-opening early this summer, the Peach Dairy Bar has proven itself as a fine outlet for good food and tempting ice cream dishes, as can be witnessed on these hot summer nights.

## "HE'S A BRAW HIELAN' LADDIE"



It never did any organization or body handling finances any harm to have a Canny Scot sitting on the board of Directors. Grimsby Town Council is no exception for that august body has in Councillor James Braid a very fine type of common sense Scotsman. Jamie was born and educated in Edinburgh and came to Canada in 1927 and lived in Hamilton (of all places) for 18 years, being connected with the Wilkinson-Kompass Co. during all that period. In 1945 he decided to move to The Garden of Canada and became Sales and Service representative of The Metal Craft Co. He is now serving his second term as a town legislator. He is a member of Hillcrest Masonic Lodge 584 and of Grimsby Lions Club. He was married in 1936 and has three children, two girls and a boy.—Photo by Robert Alldrick.

## NINE PERSONS INJURED IN HEAD-ON CRASH

Nine persons—occupants of two motor vehicles—were rushed to Grimsby and St. Catharines hospitals on Saturday night after a head-on crash on the Smithville-Grimsby road in which both vehicles were totally wrecked.

Four of the nine were admitted to hospitals. The other five after being given emergency treatment, were allowed to go home.

In St. Catharines General Hospital are: Mrs. Frances O'Hanley, 30, of 267 Cannon Street East, Hamilton, with severe lacerations and shock; and Norbert Pearie, 26, of Smithville, with lacerations, shock, and possible fractured leg.

At the Hamilton General are: Mrs. Joseph Sondola, 29, of 452 Cannon Street East, Hamilton, lacerations and shock; and Mrs. Frank Tois, 55, of 50 Oliver St., Hamilton, lacerations and shock.

Others treated at the hospitals were: Joseph Sondola, 452 Cannon Street East, Hamilton; Francis Sondola, four; Peter Sondola, three; Frank Tobio, 50 Oliver St., Hamilton, and Mrs. Norbert Peirie, Smithville.

Suspect Blowout  
The accident happened when either a tire blowout or a broken (Continued on Page 10)

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## NINETEEN DISTRICT MEN TO RECEIVE DFC SUNDAY

The Honorable Ray Lawson, OBE, LLD, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, will present nineteen DFC's and one AFC to RCAF officers at an investiture to be held at The Stamford Horticultural Society Annual Memorial Service, which is to be held in Stamford Green Memorial Garden, Stamford Centre, this Sunday, August 7th.

The decorations are to be awarded to airmen on flying duties during the war, at which time it was impossible to hold the investitures. All those to be decorated are from the Niagara Peninsula, and most of them are now members of the R.C.A.F. Reserve. They shall be decorated for their service in this ceremony to be held at seven o'clock this Sunday evening.

At least three of the men are known in Grimsby and district. Ralph "Pud" Reid, who served in the English theatre of operations with the rank of Flight Lieutenant, with thirty-six trips over Germany in Lancasters, will receive the DFC from the Lieutenant-Governor, and Floyd Southward, formerly of Beamsville, and now of Jordan Station, where he is well established in the fruit shipping industry. A third boy, who will be recalled here for his sensational goal-tending with local hockey teams, is Flight Lieutenant H. A. "Heimie" Shenker. He also will receive the D.F.C. "Shenker" now resides in St. Catharines.

## MOUNTAIN VIEW SCHOOL NEARLY COMPLETED

Built to relieve the congested areas of Stoney Creek, Fruitland, Winona, Van Wagner's, the most modern school in the province of Ontario has been built and will be ready for opening in September. Known as Mountain View School, it stands, a beautifully architectured brick building on Barton street and Millen's Side Road.

Plans have been made for twelve rooms, although at the present eight will be used, an assembly room, home economics, arts and crafts, teachers' room, principal's office, nurse's room, a well equipped library and wide halls. A fire exit for each room will minimize the danger of fire.

Grade I Room is a pleasant room with a large fireplace for Christmas parties and other planning, and boasts its own washroom. The classrooms are all wired with a public address system, and spacious cloak rooms. All pupils in grade seven or eight in area two will be taught at the Area Room, two complete kitchen units, with arrangements made for once a week lessons.

There is a huge assembly room with seating capacity of 400, which can be separated into two rooms by sliding doors. The stage is equipped with ample dressing rooms, and there are two ticket offices in the hall. The room can fill a great need in community work, as large iron gates at the end of the corridor can be closed, shutting this end off entirely. Any unusual or outstanding work accomplished by the pupils will be shown in the four glass show cases in the hall, giving the chance of putting good work in front of the public.

An unusual treatment has been included in the airy big Grade 8 Room, where the old style blackboard has been replaced by a green glass board as a new experiment.

The Room for Arts and Crafts contains all the necessary equipment for a shop, with work bench, tools, for wood, tin and metal working. Windows run along two walls of the room and make it especially delightful to work in.

Pirat Aid is the motto of the nurse's room, with everything available for patients and sickness. (Continued on Page 3)

## NORTH GRIMSBY GIRL HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Barbara Aston, 12, North Grimsby, had a narrow escape from possible serious injury on Saturday when in collision with a car on No. 8 Highway while riding a bicycle. Taken to the office of Dr. J. V. Christie by the car driver, Donald Walters, of London, the child was found to have nothing worse than a shaking up.

## Awards Presented To Aquatic Club Members—Meet This Week

This season is one of the most active in some time for the swimmers around Grimsby beaches. The Grimsby and District Aquatic Club and the Red Cross are active in the training of children of all ages in the arts of swimming and life saving and the Red Cross and local Lions Club have each supplied one of the beaches with a lifeguard. This latter measure has paid off on numerous occasions, the most notable to date being when Miss Ruth Powell, the director of the Red Cross Swimming Program at Grimsby Beach was successful in saving nine year old Noel Buskard from the deep water off the Grimsby Beach pier.

There is an extensive program going on down at Nelles Beach, which although not as big as the one at Grimsby Beach, is able to boast a registration of 76 at the present time. Misses Marjorie and Nancy Morton, are doing the instruction here with some aid each afternoon from Mr. Frank Psutka, the local Recreational Director. Marjorie is also doubling as the lifeguard at that beach.

Recently, Mrs. L. E. McKellar, Red Cross examiner, was present at Grimsby Beach and examined a number of the children for their Junior, Intermediate and Senior Red Cross Awards. A word of explanation is in order here about these awards. The children are divided when they register in the classes into various groups according to their degree of skill. The beginners start out by learning to swim. Then as Juniors and Intermediates they begin to learn skill strokes such as the backstrokes, sidestroke, etc. When they have learned these strokes they move up to the Senior class where they strive for perfection in the strokes and for distance. In order to move from one class to the next they must be examined and passed by a competent authority, in this case Mrs. McKellar. At Grimsby Beach the classes are carried further than the Senior division. There are Intermediate and Senior divisions.

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# Facts • And • Fancies

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True independence is never afraid of appearing dependent, and true dependence leads always to the most perfect independence.

## MOURN THE MORON SPECIAL

This is mostly fancy. We have recently made a brief survey of the various restaurants in our fair town and we have come to the conclusion that we are possessed of a very intelligent or possibly a very unimaginative population. Or maybe both.

The matter under consideration was the ice cream confections for sale in each store. We had been reading about places in the United States, (where men are men, but its alright because the women haven't found out about it) where they sold mighty concoctions to please the eye of the most gluttonous customer. Sauce and topping by the spoonful are poured over great heaps of ice cream and then, most important event of all, it is given a name. Sometimes it is something exotic, like "South Sea Slop," or maybe something thrilling like "The Zoomer Special" but most often it is what in our opinion is an insult to the population. Up comes some boorish fugitive from an asylum such as "Idiot's Delight" or "The Moron Special."

But not in Grimsby. No siree. If you want to go hunting something unusual in ice cream treats you might as well start someplace else. Here we have nice conservative sensible caterers to the public interest. What is served shows the conservative nature of the average Canadian. It illustrates quite well the "colonial complex" so often deplored in literary and scientific circles. You won't be able to order a gigantic, super gooey strawberry delight with nuts, cherries and lots of sticky sauce (unless you want to pay extra and have everyone looking at you) but maybe if you smile at the waitress she would put an extra scoop of chocolate on your strawberry sundae.

## YEAR ROUND SCHOOL

What! No vacations?

Well, only a month, anyway, say top American school leaders, who have been convening at Durham, New Hampshire.

These educators see the year-round school on the way in, with summer work consisting of arts and crafts and other activities in which "fun" predominates over work. That should mean increased pay for teachers, and would relieve many of them from the necessity of supplementing their teaching with odd jobs in the summer. And it would relieve many a city parent who doesn't know what on earth to do with Junior during those long, desultory months.

Still . . . we agree with the educators that it will take a heap of educating the American public to make year-round school

sound good to them. The original purpose of a three-month vacation may have been to let children and teachers alike work on the farms, but a legend of summer as a time of golden laziness for children has become firmly established. Yet adult restlessness as well as juvenile delinquency shows that Americans have much to learn about putting their increased leisure to more creative uses, and the right sort of summer school program could help in this vital task.

To the multitudes of youngsters who have been pouring out of school the last week or two we would say: happy holidays, children. Make the best of them. In another few years your long-drawn-out summer vacation may have been improved down to one short, sweet, leisure-crammed month.—From The Christian Science Monitor.

## PREPVENT THE SPREAD OF DISEASE

In many municipalities citizens are being urged to prevent the spread of insect-borne diseases. To make the campaign a success, the co-operation of everyone is needed, including householders, restaurants, hotels, and others handling food. Here are a few tips to fight the spread of disease:

1. Wrap all garbage carefully, so that no wet or putrid food is exposed or scattered; this attracts and breeds flies.

2. Keep garbage tins clean and well covered.

3. Spray frequently with D.D.T. or other approved insecticide all exposed surfaces, and particularly areas around garbage cans.

4. Clean up all refuse around the house or building.

5. Screen windows and doors.

6. Avoid accumulation of standing water, to prevent mosquitoes.

The only effective method to rid an area of flies or mosquitoes is to spray the breeding source with an efficient insecticide. Fly-catching or 'swatting' is too slow, because insects multiply by the million. Authorities claim that areas could become fly-free inside of a month, if breeding areas were sprayed every two weeks, and if at the same time citizens

kept clean their garbage cans and other utensils, and did not leave food uncovered to attract flies.

It is suggested that the campaign against flies and mosquitoes should be conducted as a routine every summer, on a province-wide scale. This is now being done in parts of the United States. Last year, Iowa announced it had thus become fly-free. The war on pests committee, organized in Ottawa a few years ago, stated that if every citizen sprayed his home, screens and porches with D.D.T., on regular summer schedule, the common housefly would be unknown in Canada in 10 years.

More than 29 infectious diseases may be spread in communities by flies and mosquitoes. Young children are their special victims because flies like foods children eat such as milk, sugar, bread and cheese. Flies pass quickly from garbage and excrement to clean food. They carry germs on their legs and also expel them from their intestines on to food.

A fly's eating habits constitute a peculiar danger. It softens solid food by spitting out saliva on to it. Typhoid, tuberculosis, meningitis, infants' diarrhea, dysentery and possibly also infantile paralysis may thus be spread by flies.

## MONDAY HOLIDAYS

Once more the suggestion has been advanced that legislation be enacted to prove that the celebration of all holidays—other than Christmas, New Year's and Good Friday—be held on a Monday. Such a move undoubtedly would result in a much desired stability in both business and private affairs. The tendency towards absenteeism, so prevalent when the holiday falls on a Tuesday or a Wednesday, would be eliminated. People would be able to plan long week-ends and participate in trips and visits that otherwise wouldn't be possible.

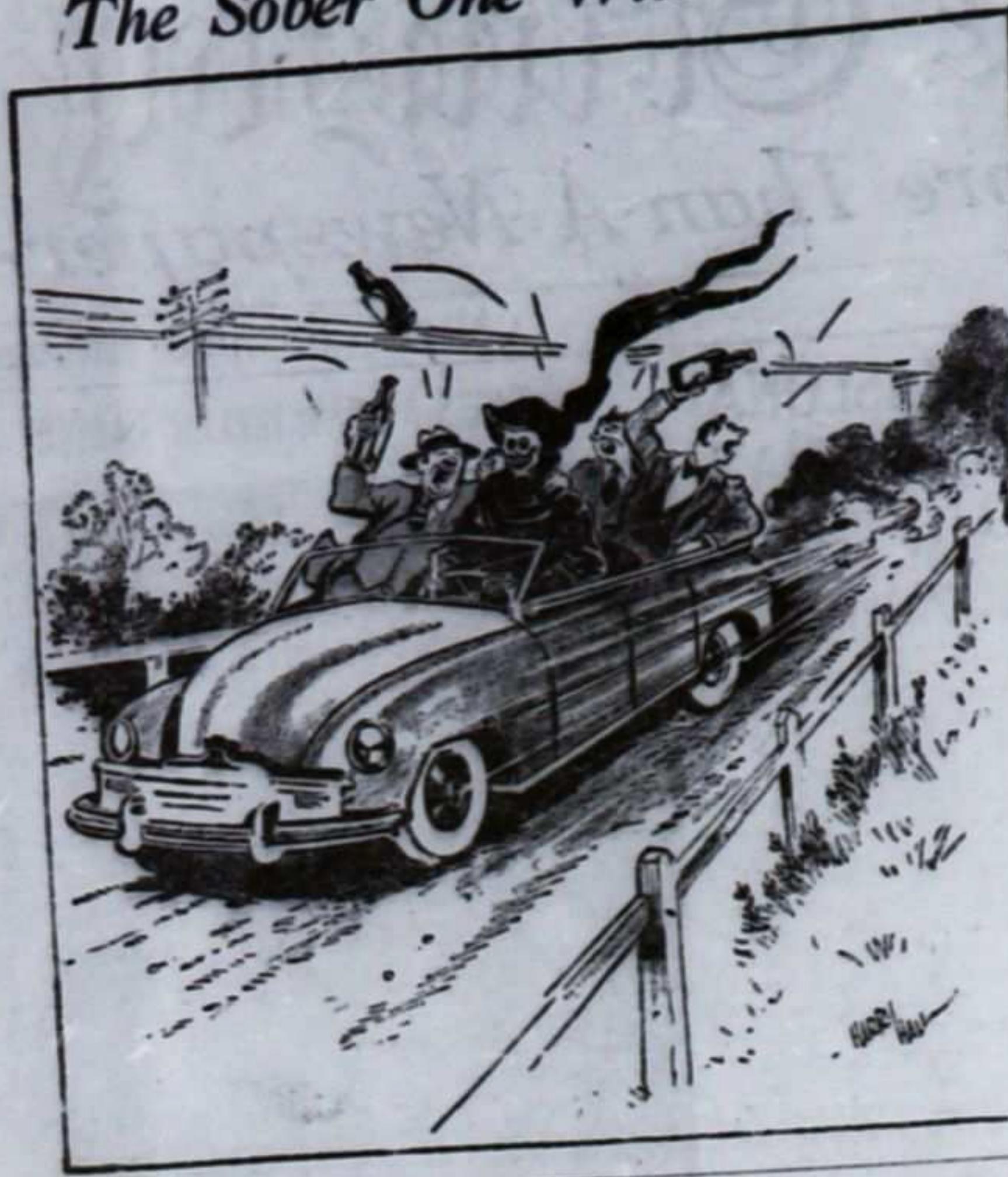
The suggestion, on the other hand, but a further indication of the trend in recent years to lose sight of the true purpose of holidays. Dominion Day is a holiday because July the first was the day on which the

union of Canada became a reality. Victoria Day is a holiday because May the twenty-fourth was the birthday of Queen Victoria. If the days are to be considered only as days of relaxation for a tired populace, then the suggested changes are certainly desirable. On the other hand, if their true significance is not to be lost, a continuance of the existing arrangement would seem to be best.

It seems, however, that the former is the case if Seaford can be taken as an example. On the occasion of the Dominion Day holiday three weeks ago, there was hardly a flag or other indication of the nature of the day in evidence anywhere in the town. Nor was there any public observance of the event.

If the desire is for a long week-end once a month during the summer, why not declare

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## A GOURMET'S RALLYING CRY

The end of a glorious era for gourmets is threatened in a disturbing report from Des Moines, Iowa.

It seems that a certain Peter H. Baumann has succeeded in developing a breed of chickens without wings. He claims that these mutilated birds can provide an unbroken expanse of plump white meat for the uninhibited operation of carving knives.

The subtle attack on a great North American tradition will doubtless be acclaimed by many thoughtless people. If the new breed can be produced in commercial quantities

It carries power because it puts in forthright language what every sane American, of

whatever color, must know:

That in the event of such a war the Negro Communist would act just like any other native Communist; that the Negro pacifist would act just like any other pacifist; and that the average Negro would behave just like any other average American—try to keep his country out of war, then help his country win the war.

It carries power because Jackie Robinson says out loud what any other self-respecting American expects: any self-respecting Negro American to feel: That because he is willing to fight communism on the battlefield doesn't mean that he won't keep on fighting racial discrimination at home.

The more a Negro hates communism because it opposes democracy, the more he is going to hate any other influence that kills off democracy in this country.

Straight-taking, clear-eyed eloquence, which, coming from "an expert on being a colored American," should make about as admirable a contribution to better race relations as anything that has happened in a long time.

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The narrow interests of children have always centred on the more prosaic drumstick and white meat. The new creature would also be a boon to older folk in large families, who have hitherto been forced to content themselves with wings and neck after the small fry have been served more tempting portions.

But some last-ditch defence must be made for the winged chicken against the formidable, schoollike competitor.

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SATURDAY — AUGUST 6

**FOUR FACES WEST**

Joel McRae

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**EMBRACEABLE YOU**

Dane Clark

Geraldine Brooks

NEWS

MONDAY &amp; TUESDAY — AUGUST 8-9

**EVERY GIRL SHOULD  
BE MARRIED**

Cary Grant Franchot Tone Diana Lynn

SHORT SUBJECTS

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SHORT SUBJECTS

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## CONTINUATIONS

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**MEE CAPTAIN EDDIE**  
in the town of Tarnogora, Lublin district, province of Krasnystaw, Poland. His early training was in nurserywork but in 1933 he went into an Officer's Training School for the Polish Army, where he remained until graduation in 1935. After that Eddie returned home until the German Bandits swept into Poland in 1939 and Eddie had some fighting to do. After retreating through his own country he was forced to surrender to the Russians who allowed him to go home for four months but then threatened to send him to Siberia to work. But Eddie was too fast for them. He hopped over the border and managed to reach Rumania where Sikorski was in process of forming a Polish Army to join the Allies. When Eddie arrived Sikorski's forces were richer by one well trained officer.

The first stop for the new army was in Palestine where its training was completed and then they moved on to Egypt and joined the British Eighth. This was in 1940. Eddie fought along the Egyptian-Libyan frontier until the summer of 1941 when he, among others, was trapped in Tobruk. He was there for some six months, until December of '41 when Monty and the 8th moved in to turn them loose. For four more long months the Polish boys were among the occupation troops in Libya and then in April of '42 they were sent back to Egypt where they joined other Poles in forming a full fledged Polish army. Shortly afterwards they joined Montgomery in Italy.

Action came first for them in the Monte Casino area of Italy where they were engaged in defense. Then when the big offensive got under way they moved up the peninsula with the British and Americans. Rome was taken and then they came to Bologna. The attack had bogged down at a little town called Solarolo and difficulty was experienced in trying to effect a crossing of the Lugo Canal. Eddie's company was on the flank of the attack. With a quick thrust and what amounted to utter disregard for personal safety, he led his men in beyond the enemy lines, blocked an enemy counter attack and isolated the town. The move resulted in an easy crossing of the important Lugo Canal, the capture by his company of some 22 prisoners and all the equipment of the opposing enemy company. For that they gave Eddie a Silver Star.

The war ended not long after this and the Polish boys remained where they had been doing the fighting. They took special training and in 1946 were moved to England. From there Eddie came to Canada, being let in on an affidavit from his brother who was living in Saskatchewan. He did not receive his final demobilization papers until he reached Halifax in 1948.

From Halifax, Eddie went out west and stayed for about a year. He found it a drawback not being able to speak English and so came to Ontario where he thought his chances of learning the tongue would be better. At the present he is on holidays from class but all winter he attends the Canadian training school conducted by Mr. Donald Awde, local high school principal.

The training in nursery work that he had in the Old Country has stood Eddie in good stead here. He is now a valuable man to the Coles and although fruits such as peaches are new to him he catches on fast and as for grapes, well there he is on familiar ground for he was in charge of a fair sized vineyard in Poland.

As we were leaving Eddie turned to John and said something in Polish. "He says he's happy to be here," said John as Eddie climbed his picking ladder with his grin as broad as ever.

**BOXING SHOW**

ara Falls, winner by decision over Ray McGilvray, Velland.

Referees — Leo Cecatto, Lefty Jordan, Art Brydon.

Judges — Jim Ionsdale, Tony Russo.

Timekeeper — Mel Mallackey, Niagara Falls.

The main go between Rizzo and McGilvray brought the crowd to its feet, and the judges' decision for Rizzo was not a popular one. McGilvray foughts good defensive fight, and yet landed the more solid blows, having Rizzo at his mercy on three occasions, however, he could not seem to find the power to polish Rizzo off, but yet in the minds of most of the fans, the judges really missed the boat giving the decision to Rizzo.

It is quite possible that the Jaycees will hold another boxing show, perhaps in the near future. The idea is a good one, and with the valued experience gained from their first effort they should be able to keep the overhead down and thus realize something more substantial than credits for their efforts.

Birds will not get out of sight of the ground when there is a thick fog.

**AWARDS PRESENTED**  
resident at Grimsby Beach. Miss Burns earned her R.L.S.S. Silver Award. This is the second highest award available the next being the gold which only seven people in the Dominion hold at the present time.

The Grimsby and District Aquatic Club are planning to hold their biggest meet of the season next Saturday, the 6th, at 2 p.m. Representations from the club have been at several of these meets this summer and at the last one in Welland the Grimsby Club took a sweeping victory. There will be contestants from Dundas, Welland, Niagara Falls and Grimsby at the Saturday meet and the competition promises to be quite strong.

Applications for entry into this open meet will be open until the 5th of August and application forms are obtainable at Grimsby Beach from any of the instructors. For a copy of the events in the meet see the attached list.

A special feature of the afternoon will be a demonstration of synchronized swimming by Miss June Taylor, the synchronized swimming champion of Canada.

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**SENIOR**, over 17 years—60 yards free style; 60 yards backstroke; 60 yards breaststroke.

**OPEN**—100 yards free style.

**RELAY**—4 boys—200 yards.

**DIVING**—open—(1) Plain or Swan; (2) Jack Knife; (3) Choice.

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**MEDELY RELAY**—3 girls—150 yards.

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# Social Events - Personals - Organizations - Club Activities

**GOSPEL HALL**

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**LORD'S DAY**  
Breaking of Bread . . . 11 a.m.  
Gospel Meeting . . . . . 7 p.m.

Wednesday  
Prayer Meeting and Bible  
Reading, 8 p.m.  
— All Welcome —

**St. John's Church****Presbyterian**Rev. J. P. McLeod,  
Minister**SUNDAY, AUG. 7th**

11:00 a.m.—Speaker, Mr.  
Peter Wotherspoon,  
Knox College Under-  
graduate.

**St. Andrew's Church**

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Rector: Rev'd E. A. Brooks,

M.A., Tel. 549.

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 7th**

8th Sunday After Trinity

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion  
and Sermon — Archdeacon  
Scovil.  
7:00 p.m.—Evensong.

**UNION SERVICES****BAPTIST AND UNITED CHURCHES****SUNDAY, AUGUST 7th**

11:00 a.m.—Worship in Trinity United Church.  
Sermon: "UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT."  
7:00 p.m.—Worship in the Baptist Church.  
Sermon: "THE LAW OF RETURNS."  
Rev. A. L. Griffith will preach at both services.  
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Mrs. William Kemp is visiting  
with her sister in Welland.  
Mrs. F. Clarke and Mrs. George  
Brignall are spending a few days  
in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sangster  
and Mrs. C. Terryberry spent Sun-  
day with friends in Port Colborne.  
Mrs. George Brignall of Ham-  
ilton was recently the guest of  
Mrs. F. Clarke of Grimsby for  
two weeks.

Mr. Arthur Henley and his  
cousin Sydney are holidaying at  
London Ont., with Mr. Henley's  
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C.  
Walters.

Mr. E. Secord of the Meaford  
Express, Mrs. Secord and Miss A.  
Knechtel of Kitchener, Ont., both  
nieces of Mrs. McLean, were guests  
of Mr. and Mrs. McLean at the  
Baptist parsonage last week.

Having completed the first half  
of the ten week union services be-  
tween the Baptist and United  
churches, Mr. and Mrs. McLean  
leave this week for their vacation  
in Northern and Western Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Blackmore  
of Saskatchewan were recent  
visitors at the home of Mr. and  
Mrs. C. E. Blackmore of Grimsby  
Beach.

They will return in time for the  
first of the services in the Baptist  
church after the period of the union  
is concluded. These services will  
be on Sunday, September 11th.

Mrs. J. W. McKinney, Musical  
director and soprano soloist of the  
First Baptist Church, Ingersoll,  
visited Mrs. McLean at the Baptist  
parsonage over the weekend of  
July 24th and favored with a fine  
solo at both of the Union services  
in the morning in the United and  
the evening in the Baptist church.

**IN MEMORIAM**

**HUNTER**—Affectionately Re-  
membered. Robert Gordon  
Hunter, dear son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Wm. Hunter, and brother  
of Fred. Killed in action July  
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the junior evening dress parade. The summer collection of a  
New York designer includes such charmers as the model de-  
picted. It is of white point d'esprit over white taffeta, and  
the off-shoulder sling, falling capelike in back, is tied with  
blue taffeta ribbon below one shoulder.

**Elopements****NELSON—BUCKINGHAM**

The Rev. G. E. Morrow officiated  
on Saturday afternoon at the wed-  
ding of Betty, daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. Cyrus Buckingham of Win-  
ona, to Mr. Clifford Nelson, son of  
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Nelson. The  
bride wore a blue gingham suit,  
with pale pink lace blouse. Her  
accessories were all white, and her  
only jewelry a beautiful string of  
pearls. She wore a head-dress with  
a shoulder length veil, and carried  
red roses. Mrs. Jane Compton was  
the only attendant wearing a gray  
wool suit, pink blouse, with white  
accessories, and wore a corsage of  
yellow roses.

The reception was held at the  
home of Mrs. Ross Nelson of  
Grimsby, with the immediate fam-  
ily in attendance. After a honey-  
moon in Buffalo, the couple will  
make their home in Hamilton.

**LESTER—JACOBS**

The United Church Parsonage at  
Winona was the scene of a beauti-  
ful wedding last Saturday after-  
noon when Verna, daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. Ira Jacobs of Fruitland,  
became the bride of Mr. Roy Lester,  
son of Mrs. Thomas Lester and  
the late Mr. Lester. Officiating at  
the ceremony was Rev. G. E. Mor-  
row. The bride was gowned in pow-  
der blue crepe with lace insets, and  
wearing a headress with shoulder  
length veil, also white accessories.  
A corsage of pink roses with white  
carnations formed her bridal bou-  
quet. Mrs. W. Chappell was mat-  
ron-of-honor, and was the sister  
of the bride. She was dressed in  
the palest pink crepe, with pink  
picture hat trimmed with mohair,  
and carried yellow roses. The  
groomsmen was Mr. W. Chappell.

A reception was later held at the  
Pines Hotel for the immediate  
family. The bride's mother was  
gowned in pale blue flowered jersey  
with black accessories, with a  
corsage of white carnations. The  
groom's mother was in dark blue  
jersey with black accessories and  
wore a corsage of white carnations.  
Present also at the wedding was  
Mrs. B. Elliot, aunt of the groom,  
who wore a pink dress with black  
accessories, and a corsage of deep  
pink roses.

Immediately after the reception  
the young couple left on a honey-  
moon in London and points north.

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has a car, and more than three out  
of four have radios.

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tion alone to old age pensions  
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million dollars a month.

**ENGAGEMENT**

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Franklin  
Knight, of Grimsby Beach, an-  
nounce the engagement of their  
daughter, Anita Stanton Knight,  
to Mr. Allen A. Dilworth of St.  
Catherines, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Herber J. Dilworth of Hamilton.  
The wedding is to take place on  
Saturday August 27, 1949, in St.  
Andrew's Anglican Church, Grimsby.

**VINEMOUNT**

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Jeffries have  
returned after a week's vacation  
up north.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Jeffries and  
son Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis  
Shuker and little daughter, have  
returned home from a week's vaca-  
tion spent at Allenwood Beach.

Mr. Thomas Webster motored to  
North Bay last weekend to bring  
home his daughter Peggy, who has  
been visiting with her grandpar-  
ents during the last two weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. Greenwood  
spent a few days at Peacock Point  
visiting Mrs. Greenwood's sister.

Miss Jacqueline Ross is enjoying  
a motor trip through the States.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Beckstead  
and Sandy of Merlin, spent a few  
days of their holidays visiting  
Mrs. Charles Durham.

Mrs. Charles Clark of Colling-  
wood visited over the weekend  
with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark,  
Rose Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald White of  
Toronto were guests over the  
holiday weekend at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schott.

Mrs. Fred Dancer, Harry and  
Bill and grandson Larry Tice of  
Hamilton are spending a week in  
Lockport, N.Y., visiting relatives.

Miss E. A. Meyers who spent  
the past three months with Mr.  
and Mrs. W. Furniss Clarke has  
returned to Montreal.

Mrs. John M. Small and Miss  
Ethel Scott have rented their cot-  
tage and have returned to their  
home in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clarke and  
Mr. J. Arthur Clark, all from  
Montreal spent a week with Mr.  
and Mrs. W. Furniss Clarke, Park  
Road.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. VanDyke  
and Rosalie from Chatham, N.J.,  
are visiting friends in the district.  
Rosalie is a guest of Miss Louise  
Knight on the Lakefront.

Mrs. Ken Nelson and Bruce  
spent the holiday weekend in Barrie  
visiting relatives. Mrs. Elora  
Phipps returned with them to  
spend the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood and  
family of Peterborough and Mrs.  
Charles Thomson and Linda of  
Brantford were recent guests at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken  
Nelson.

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ANGLICAN CHURCH

In the absence of Rev. A. E. Ongley, who is away on vacation, the services at St. John's Anglican Church at Winona have been taken care of for the past two weeks by the Venerable Archdeacon G. F. Scovil of Grimsby, a former Rector of the church. The coming Sunday will have Mr. William Gartrell of London, Ontario, as officiating clergyman. Formerly a member of the Church of the Good Shepherd at Barton, Mr. Gartrell will be remembered by many students of Saltfield High School where he taught to teach. Mr. Gartrell left teaching to follow the ministry and is now a layman preacher at London.

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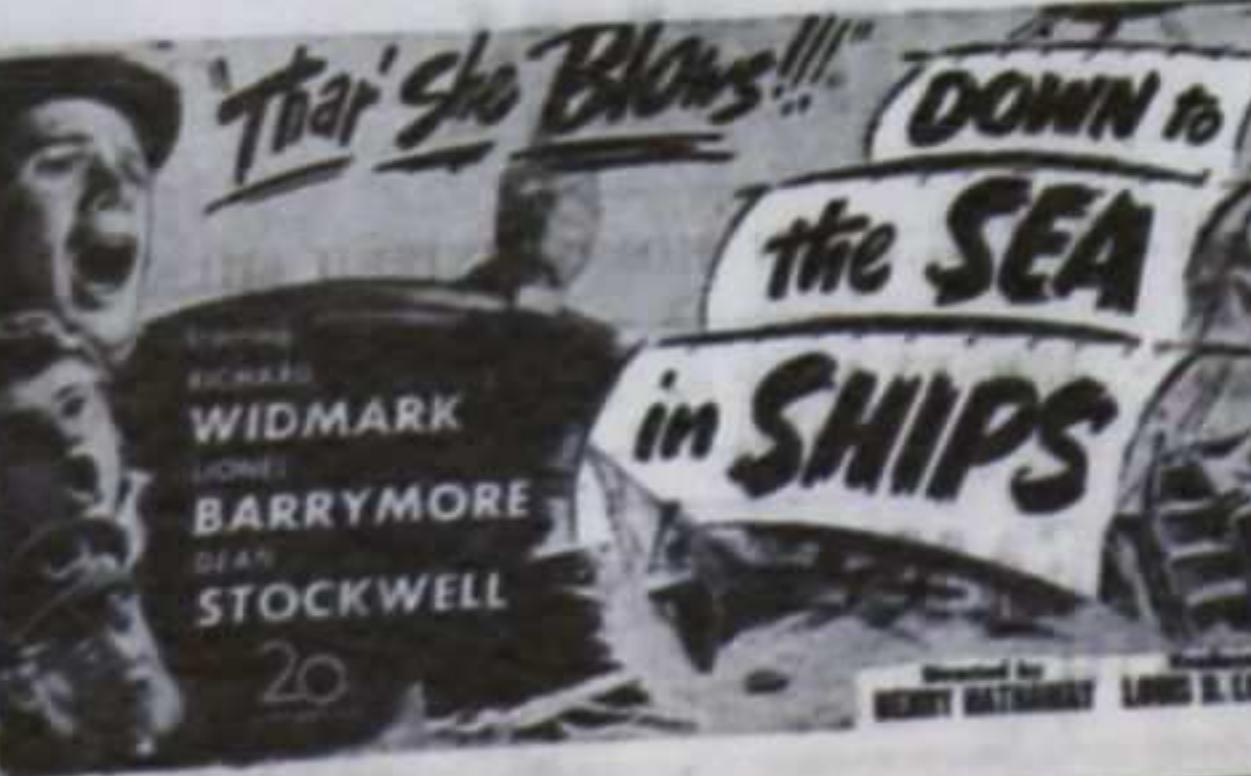
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**SPORTRAYAL**

By "HIGH" McGREGOR

Recent hardball action on the part of the Firemen is encouraging up to a point. The boys seem to have a habit of going well for a short time and then suddenly a very bad one. They have now completed nine games and all exhibition contests. The record is 4 wins for 4 losses and a tie.

In the seventh game with Ailton on the mound the boys went well. Ailton pitched one hit ball and struck out fifteen. The game was a one to nothing until the Studebaker boys tied it up in the eighth. Then the Firemen came back with two runs in the ninth to win the ball game.

The eighth was with the North Hamilton Juniors of the Niagara District League. This proved to be another win for the locals this time by an eight to four count. It was essentially a sluggers' battle and both clubs seemed to be trying to get as many errors as possible. The Bentley Boys had eight runs, five hits and six errors, while the Hamilton club had four runs, nine hits and eight errors.

The ninth and latest game was another of those bad ones. Caledonia seems to be the jinx club for the Firemen who have gone up against that outfit several times only to take a beating each time. They are a heavy hitting club and this combined with numerous errors by the firemen set them up for a sixteen to five win. Scrivener and Jewson did the throwing for the faltering Firemen and from the record are not to be too heavily blamed for the loss. Between the two of them they allowed 11 hits but the real damage was done by 13 costly errors. It is fortunate that efforts like this are not too common with the Fire Laddies.

This week local fans will see baseball action here on Friday night when the jinx team from Caledonia will again be the visitors. Firemen went to Caledonia last night but at this writing the results are not known. The boys are out to take these last year's champions in their division and hope to get their number before long as it is possible that they may be early opponents for Grimsby in the O.B.A. playdowns. Coach Bentley announced this week that the Firemen's classy younger hurler, would start against Caledonia on Friday. This will be the first time that Doug has faced this team and it is hoped that it will make a difference in the result. Game time on Friday will be as usual 6:15 at the public school grounds.

On Saturday the Firemen make further play-off preparations when they again meet the Studebaker Corporation team of Hamilton. This club has been responsible for several excellent games with Grimsby and so the action should be hot and heavy around the local park on Saturday.

**RESULTS FROM SECOND AQUATIC COMPETITION**

The second aquatic meet of the season at Grimsby Beach was a complete success. The Grimsby and District Aquatic Club is now well established and its members are competing in various meets throughout the district as well as their own home efforts. This latest meet was held on Saturday, July 16. Grimsby Beach swimmers will compete in a Canadian Amateur Swimming Association meet at Dundas on Friday, July 22, and in another at Welland on Saturday, July 23.

The results of last Saturday's meet are as follows:

**25 Yards Freestyle**  
Tadpoles (eight and under)—1. Court Heinbeck; 2, Joe Webster; 3, Judy Foster.

Girls 10 and under—1, Abie Falvey; 2, Joanne Stone.

Boys 10 and under—1, Gary German; 2, Jimmy Graham; 3, Doug Chalmers.

**30 Yards Backstroke**  
Boys, 12 and under—1, Gary German; 2, Harry Dancer; 3, Don Clements.

Girls, 12 and under—1, Douglas Palvie; 2, Elizabeth Young; 3, Terry Verner.

**45 Yards Breaststroke**  
Boys, 14 and under—1, Terry Verner; 2, Harry Dancer; 3, Don Clements.

Girls, 17 and under—1, Ruth Clarke; 2, Sandra Shaw; 3, Olive Clarke.

**49 Yards Backstroke**  
Boys, 17 and under—1, Terry Verner; 2, Harry Dancer; 3, Don Clements.

Boys' Open 100 Yards Freestyle  
1. Derek Walton.

Girls' 60 Yards Backstroke,  
Open  
1. Olive Clark; 2, Elsie Sklery;

2. Irma Merritt.  
Backstroke 10 Years and Under  
Boys—1, Gary German; 2, Jimmy Graham.

Girls—1, Joanne Stone; 2, Able

**RECREATIONAL NEWS**

The new recreational program under the direction of Mr. Frank Pautka, has now reached the halfway mark for the summer with an enrolment of some 105 youngsters. This figure is remarkable for a town this size and especially in view of the number who are enrolling as assistants to the director and the recent heat wave. The program has recently widened to include films of interest to the children. Track and field events have been increased in number and last Tuesday a hike was in the order of the day. The high school is at present in the process of having its fence lifted inside so the facilities of the Parish Hall have been granted to the recreational council in order that indoor activity may not have to cease. It was pointed out not long ago by the director that the program is still open to the enrolment of more children for the month of August.

Of interest to the senior boys of the program—it was announced to-day that any boys who are at present students at the high school or who will be registering at the school for the first time this fall may, if they are interested in football, turn out for a little pre-season training. Preliminary work in the grid sport will be started at the high school grounds on August 9th and will continue each Tuesday and Thursday evening from 7 until 8:30. The practices will stress conditioning, fundamentals, plays, strategy and movies on football will be provided. Boys should come equipped with gym shoes, sweat shirts and old trousers. No bodily contact will be started at present and no regular uniforms will be issued until school opens.

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SMITHVILLE - GRIMSBY  
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TIOTS IN FRUIT BELT

The Fruit Belt League finished their regular playing schedule last week and this week they swing into the play-offs. The final order of standing was Smithville, Grimsby, Beamsville and Tapleytown. The fact that the weak Tapleytown entry gained a play-off spot over Stoney Creek is explained by the fact that the Creek failed to comply with the O.A.S.A. rules and did not have their O.A.S.A. certificates filled out or their fees paid. As a result they were disqualified.

Grimsby steamed down the stretch in a last minute drive which almost carried them into first place but not quite. On the 21st of July the locals fell before the soon-to-be-disqualified Stoney Creek crew by a seven to six count. They bounced back to take Fruitland once and Tapleytown twice in the last three games of the schedule but it was not enough and they ended up one place under Smithville in the final standing.

In the play-offs the Grimsby boys meet the fourth place Tapleytowners while Smithville will be embroiled with Beamsville. The semi-final series are to go three games and the winners are to meet the following week in the final go. These play-offs must be over by the fifteenth of August when both the winner and the runner-up will enter the O.A.S.A. playoffs. The choice of entering the O.A.S.A. series in either the B or C class and the runner-up must enter in the class not chosen by the winner.

Grimsby played their first play-off tilt with Tapleytown here on Tuesday night and the second one is up in Tapleytown to-night.

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## Smithville 6, Beamsville 3

Smithville finished up their schedule in the Fruit Belt League with a nice six to three win over their rivals from Beamsville on July 29. The Smithville boys playing at home, were in command all the way and scored one in the first and third, two in the fifth and one in the seventh and eighth to make it six. They had eight hits altogether and two errors. Beloit was on the mound for the mountain boys and Lane was doing the backstop's chores.

Beamsville failed to come to life until the eighth when they exploded with a three run rally that was not enough to put the home team in trouble. Beamsville accounted for five hits and three errors. Geddes and Konkle hurried for Beamsville, while R. Konkle did the catching.

R H E  
Smithville - 6 8 2  
Beamsville - 3 5 2  
Umpires - Plate: Keltner; Bases: C. O. Hodgkins.

The Grimsby Peach Kings took the first game of their best of three play-offs with Tapleytown on Tuesday night by a seven to two score. The Kings spread their hitting out after the first in which they came up with three big runs including two homers by Gregory and Mason. They followed with one in the fourth and one in the fifth then two in the eighth to cinch the game. Tapleytown scored two in the first inning but failed to tally thereafter. After the first inning the visitors went down in order before the tight pitching of Frank Bouk, who hurled nice ball all the way for the Kings. Bentley did the catching for the locals.

On the mound for Tapleytown was Andrews, while McLaren handled the chores behind the bat. R H E  
Grimsby - 7 9 1  
Tapleytown - 2 4 3

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## FRUIT BELT STANDING

	W	L	Pts.
Smithville	17	3	34
Grimsby	14	6	28
Beamsville	13	7	26
Stoney Creek	9	11	15
Tapleytown	4	16	8
Fruitland	3	17	6

Series "A" Playoffs  
Tuesday—Tapleytown vs. Grimsby. Beamsville at Smithville.  
Thurs.—Grimsby at Tapleytown. Smithville at Beamsville.  
(Best of three)

Series "B"  
Two winners of series "A" to play best 2 of 3 series, commencing Monday, August 8.

FRUIT BELT GIRLS'  
SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Smithville, Aug. 2—Smithville took a very slim four to three win from Beamsville here on Tuesday night, as brothers John and Joe Beloit scored in a desperate eighth inning rally to save the Smithville girls.

It was the first of a best of three series in the Fruit Belt playdowns, which saw Beamsville leading three-two on Pud Red's fence clearing smash in the eighth.

Smithville scored two runs in the first inning, when Don Koule got off to a shaky start for Beamsville, plus a bit of loose infielding. Both teams hung up goose eggs until the sixth, when Musch Miller started a Beamsville rally with a single to right. Christie doubled and Miller scored on Fisher's heavy home. Reid's single scored Christie and tied up the ball game. Pud Reid's Homer put Beamsville in the lead in the top of the eighth, but Smithville bounced back with Johnny Beloit getting life on Umpire Elliott's miscue. Brother Joe belted a ball to deep centre which Harvey had difficulty with, and Joe scampered home with the winning run.

Eric Selby made two sensational plays for Beamsville, and shared top billing with Reid and Joe Beloit whose hitting power will be a big factor in Smithville's chances in the future. The series continues in Beamsville on Friday night.

Smithville .200 .000 .02x—4 8 3  
Beamsville .000 .002 .010—3 8 3  
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## Grimbsy 7; Tapleytown 2

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Grimbsy - 7 9 1  
Tapleytown - 2 4 3

The first half of the schedule in this league finishes this week. A partial list of future games includes Winona at Community Beach on Friday, Winona at Beamsville on Wednesday, August 10, and Community Beach at Grimbsy on the same day.

FRUIT BELT JUVENILES  
START PLAY-OFFS

The Fruit Belt Juvenile Softball League has now completed its regular schedule and is ready to start play-off activity. Beamsville garnered first place in the final standing followed by Winona, then Stoney Creek, Community Beach, and finally Fruitland.

However since the Community Beach entry did not have enough certificates signed they were disqualified and replaced in the play-offs by the next team in the standing, Fruitland.

Play-off games started Tuesday, August 2nd, with Stoney Creek at Beamsville and Fruitland at Winona. On the Thursday of this week, the 4th, Beamsville will be at Stoney Creek and Winona, will be at Fruitland. Third games where necessary in the semi-final series will be played on Friday.

The final series will start on Tuesday, August 8th, and is to be handled by O.A.S.A. officials since the winter will advance to the O.A.S.A. playdowns.

## EXHIBITS AT FAIRS

With a view to encouraging still more Canadians to visit the National Parks of Canada, an exhibit was shown by the National Parks Service at the recent Provincial Exhibition at Brandon, Manitoba. There will also be exhibits at the Pacific National Exhibition, Vancouver, B.C., the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, and the Western Fair, London, Ontario. The exhibits feature maps, films, and coloured transparencies depicting the scenery, wildlife, and recreational facilities in the Parks.

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## MIGRATION ROUTES

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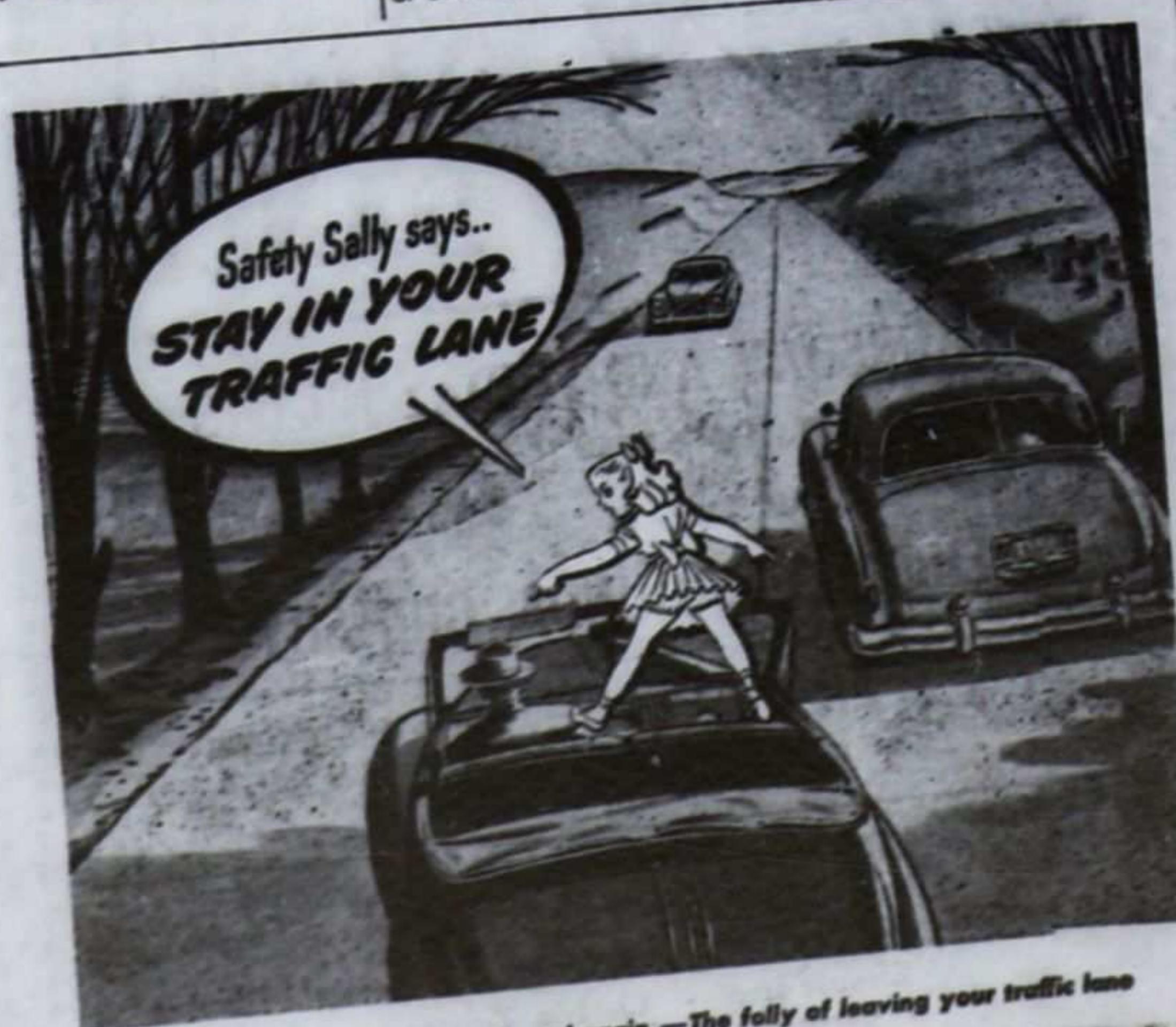
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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF BENJAMIN WHILIAM MCINTYRE, deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of Benjamin Whiliam McIntyre, late of 10 Queen Street, Grimsby, Lincoln County of Lincoln, Gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the 21st day of June, 1949, and have been notified to send on or before the 27th day of August, 1949, full particulars of their claims to Messrs. Seymour Lampard, Goldring & Young, 39 Queen Street, St. Catharines, Ontario. After the 20th day of August, 1949, the Estate of the said deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to claims of which the Executrix has been advised to have notice.

DATED at St. Catharines, Ontario, this 29th day of July, 1949.

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IN THE ESTATE of Floyd Simpson, late of the Town of Grimsby, in the County of Lincoln, deceased.

All persons having claims against the late Floyd Simpson, who died on or about the 2nd day of February A.D. 1949, are hereby notified to send

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By GORD McGREGOR

There are two things that can be said for the people in Northern Ontario. They have the darndest idea of distance, and they are really the most hospitable and friendly folks you could ever hope to meet. Strangely enough, on a recent trip through the area in and around Bancroft, we had to sample their strange idea of how to get to a place on a road that would make the trip over the Hump look like a four lane highway in order to receive the most wonderful hospitality we have ever encountered.

You know what these roads are like? Twists and turns, and on all sides nothing but rocks and bush. We feel that it was a grave injustice that great heaps of the rocks were left in the middle of the road and not at the side. Very rugged for one's auto.

Fellow at a garage says, "You just cut through here and you'll save an hour's driving to get to your destination."

"Fine!"

"It's about fifteen miles as the crow flies."

Never did see a darn crow. It was twenty-six miles one burnt clutch, one smashed stabilizer, and one crushed oil pan later that we decided this fellow was a tourist saboteur.

Finally bogged down at the bottom of a sharp incline that would make a tank shudder, and commenced to walk. Recalling our old Scout training, immediately started to look for berries. These we found. Also a cow. Deluxe eating.

What any self respecting cow would be doing out there twenty miles from nowhere is something we can still wonder about.

After a considerable length of time walking over a road which I was instructed to drive over, we suddenly emerged from the bush and there stood a beautiful farm home. It was a beautiful home, and right smack in the middle of the barnyard was a most gorgeous tractor.

Walking up to the house a couple of men taking a nap awoke and seemed considerably surprised to see us. We were powerfully glad to see them. I recall.

With unbelieving eyes they listened to our sordid tale, and then informed us that the so called road we had attempted to traverse had been closed for years, also that the bridge we had crossed had been condemned. This was the jittery plank affair that had cracked and groaned as we scampered across some forty foot above a picturesque little stream.

Well, at any rate, Herb Moore and his wonderful family, including brother Irving just kinda took our problem easy like, and so we went back into the bush with this wonderful tractor. Down over Four Hour Hill. No car. Through the Floating Swamp. No car. But there at the bottom of Chipmunk Shoot, the battered vehicle reclined amidst a setting of jagged rocks and leafy ferns. The stupid cow was still wandering around. Its clank bell echoing through the quiet of the woods.

Well, to cut it short, the Moores got us out, fed us at their kitchen table in the house, not long before had been the most welcome sight we had ever seen.

Brother Irving decided as how we could get to Coe Hill under our own power. Wish we did. He said it was eight miles as the crow flies, naturally; I was eleven as the Dodge crawled.

Fellow in garage at Coe Hill reckons he can fix us up by Monday night, this was Saturday. His name was George, and all we can remember about him was that he was a good mechanic, but unfortunately we were told in a whisper. He was a C'fer. At this point I was not very interested in a man's politics.

With still six twenty miles to go, a local to fellow named Vic Hougham rode up to the wee centre of Oba, where again we tasted the hospitality not often found in our country. The Thompsons, Morris and Moores made a somewhat start to a vacation a grand saga, and certainly their sincere account of a couple of strangers always remain as

**BREVITIES****EVENTS and TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID . . . .**

It's nice to be back from vacation, Bruised, Browned and Broke.

Take heed of the signs erected at the eastern and western approaches to Grimsby. Erected by the Lions Club, they read: Save a life. It May Be Your Own.

Firemen's Carnival this Thursday and Friday. Street dancing on Friday night. Support the Firemen. They really deserve it.

It's nice to report that it does rain in other sections of Ontario. The poor old withered fruit belt just can't seem to get lucky. Incidentally the corn is seven feet high in the Chatham area.

Beamserville Fair coming up the 8th, 9th, and 10th of September. Its 92nd annual fair, and the first three day fair in its history. Plan right now on attending the big fair, with fine harness racing, the best midway ever, and a really fine agricultural exhibition.

A large crowd is expected to witness the Aquatic Meet held this Saturday at Grimsby Beach. Sponsored by the Grimsby and District Aquatic Club, a raft of tap. Incidentally that valuable swimming and diving events is on outboard motor boat, complete with trailer will be drawn for at the swimming meet. If you have not purchased tickets on the boat yet, see one of the Optimist members before Saturday.

**OBITUARY****MRS. WILLIAM TUCK**

Mrs. William Tuck, the former Agnes Jane McCulloch, died at her residence, R.R. No. 1, Grimsby on Monday, July 25th, 1949. She was born in Nelson, Ont., and had been a resident of Grimsby for the last 49 years. Mrs. Tuck was a member of St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Grimsby.

Surviving besides her husband are one son, Cecil, of Port Credit; four daughters, Misses Etta, Grace and Frances, all of Grimsby, and Mrs. Agnes Lucken, of Winona; two brothers, Herbert McCullough, of Toronto, and Walter, of Detroit; and one sister, Mrs. Grace Adamstone, also of Detroit.

A funeral service was held at her residence on Tuesday afternoon. Interment was made in Greenwood Cemetery, Burlington. Bearers were: James Morrison, George Franka, Lyall Tuck, Spencer Merritt, Lewis Hawkey, Willard Vickers.

**TAPLEYTOWN BRIEFS**

The monthly meeting of the Tapleytown United Church Mission Circle was held at the home of Bette and Margaret Thomas. The worship service and business meeting was presided over by the President, Miss Alice Tweedie, assisted by Stella Krick and Bette Thomas. Following the meeting a weiner roast and some games were enjoyed by the circle. The next meeting will be held on September 27 at the home of Mrs. Charles Leach.

**FORECASTS WEATHER**

An easy-to-operate weather guide — said to accurately forecast local weather conditions for the next 24 hours — is reported in The Financial Post. The lightweight, handy-size guide contains a series of 12 full-color cloud formations to compare with the current sky conditions, a small compass to aid in determining direction of wind, and 112 separate forecasts for summer and winter. Basic principle is that wind and cloud formations reveal coming short period weather changes. California maker states. Instructions are shown on the instrument to make the guide a self-contained unit. An arrow is turned on the guide to the observed cloud and wind conditions. Matching of these two factors brings the correct forecast into view.

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